

Gentlemen:

It's time that the FCC took steps to promote the development of technology in our nation rather than act as a proxy of the established "bells" whose only interest is to maintain the status quo, milk their antiquated infrastructure at the expense of the USA technological leadership and it's subscribers pocket book. The FCC role is not to alleviate the "Bells" marketing and forecasting blunders (a la ISDN) but to promote America's assets for the American citizen and the future of this nation.

Internet bound traffic such as that of Free World Dialup is in the purview of an internet application of which numerous others exist (IRC, & other chat services channels using text & audio)

"Broadband" from the point of view of a 1990's 2400 baud user would mean ISDN or a v.92 56k modem today, what's in a term, where are the limits, codecs that deliver QOS at 56k rates a possibility?!, are these to be regulated.

Let Darwinism rule.

Sincerely.

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